transmitter channel spectrums 1720A-1720C, 1720F-1720K, along with the outdoor FCC emission limitation 610 according to some embodiments. The frequency spectrum 1700 does not include the fourth and fifth channels with frequency range from 5.075 GHz to 6.375 GHz. By no transmitting the fourth and fifth channels, the interference between the outdoors handheld UWB communication devices and WLAN 802.11a lower and upper bands can be avoided. This is because the WLAN 802.11a lower and upper bands are in the frequency ranges from 5.150 GHz to 5.350 GHz and from 5.725 GHz to 5.825 GHz, respectively. As a result, the interference can be avoided between the outdoor handheld UWB and WLAN 802.11a by no transmitting the fourth and fifth channels of multichannel filter-based outdoor handheld UWB communication device.

While the present inventions have been described with respect to a limited number of embodiments, those skilled in the art will appreciate numerous modifications and variations therefrom. It is intended that the appended claims cover all such modifications and variations as fall within the true spirit and scope of these present inventions.

What is claimed is:

A multichannel filter of the outdoor handheld UWB 1. 1 communication transceiver comprising: 2 a digital FIR lowpass-shaping filter; or 3 a digital cascaded FIR filter including a digital 4 multiband FIR lowpass-shaping filter and a digital FIR 5 rejected lowpass filter generating an output ripple signal 6 magnitude about 61.8 (dBm) less than the normalized gain at 7 a frequency of 0.325 GHz. 8 9 The multichannel filter of claim 1 wherein said 10 2. digital FIR lowpass-shaping filter is only one single 11 filter that may be reused to generate all of the 12 multichannel signal with different multi-carrier 13 frequencies. 14 15 The multichannel filter of claim 1 wherein said 16 digital cascaded FIR filter is only one single filter that 17 may be reused to generate all of the multichannel signal 18 with different multi-carrier frequencies. 19 20 The multichannel filter of claim 1 wherein said 4. 21 digital FIR lowpass-shaping filter may be used to produce 22 the scalability data rates with multi-carrier frequencies 23 for the multichannel-based outdoor handheld UWB 24 25 transceiver.

27 5. The multichannel filter of claim 1 wherein said 28 digital cascaded FIR filter may be used to produce the 29 scalability data rates with multi-carrier frequencies for 30 the multichannel-based outdoor handheld UWB transceiver. 31 6. The multichannel filter of claim 1 wherein the 32 33 outdoor handheld UWB transceiver may select either said 34 digital FIR lowpass shaping filter or said digital cascaded 35 FIR filter to produce the multichannel UWB signal with 36 scalability data rates. 37 7. The multichannel filter of claim 1 wherein said 38 39 digital FIR lowpass-shaping filter and said digital cascaded FIR filter is equivalently produce the same 40 transmitter function to meet the outdoor transmitter 41 42 spectrum mask. 43 44 A digital FIR lowpass-shaping filter for outdoor 45 handheld UWB transmitter comprising: 46 a lowpass band 0 - 0.26 (GHz); 47 a first transition band 0.26 - 0.325 (GHz); a second transition band 0.325 - 0.39 (GHz); 48 a third transition band 0.39 - 0.45 (GHz); and 49 50 a stop band 0.45 - 0.5 (GHz). 51

9. The digital FIR lowpass-shaping filter of claim 8 wherein said digital FIR lowpass-shaping filter is only one filter that may be needed in the use for the entire multichannel.

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58 10. The digital FIR lowpass-shaping filter of claim 8 59 wherein said digital FIR lowpass-shaping filter may have 60 83-filter taps with odd symmetric and linear phase.

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11. The digital FIR lowpass-shaping filter of claim 8
wherein said digital FIR lowpass-shaping filter may be
programmable with scalability for transmitting UWB data
rates.

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12. The digital FIR lowpass-shaping filter of claim 11 wherein the outdoor handheld UWB transceiver may transmit the UWB data onto the selected channel to avoid the interference with WLAN 802.11a by using said digital FIR lowpass-shaping filter.

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13. A digital cascaded FIR filter for outdoorhandheld UWB transmitter comprising:

a digital multiband FIR lowpass-shaping filter
that is generated by a digital enlarged FIR lowpass shaping
filter with inserting one zero into the between of two
filter coefficients; and

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a digital rejected FIR lowpass filter.
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                The digital cascaded FIR filter of claim 13
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      wherein said digital enlarged FIR lowpass-shaping filter
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      comprising:
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                a lowpass band 0 - 0.512 (GHz);
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                a first transition band 0.512 - 0.65 (GHz);
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                a second transition band 0.65 - 0.78 (GHz);
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                a third transition band 0.78 - 0.9 (GHz); and
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                a stop band 0.9 - 1.0 (GHz).
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                The digital cascaded FIR filter of claim 14
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      wherein said digital enlarged FIR lowpass-shaping filter
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      has 51 filter taps with odd symmetric and linear phase.
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                The digital cascaded FIR filter of claim 13
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      wherein said digital rejected FIR lowpass filter has
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      frequency bandwidths comprising:
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                a lowpass band 0 - 0.28 (GHz);
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                a transition band 0.28 - 0.7 (GHz); and
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                a stop band 0.7 - 1.0 (GHz).
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                The digital cascaded FIR filter of claim 16
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      wherein said digital rejected FIR lowpass filter has 4
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      filter taps with even symmetric and linear phase.
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18. The digital cascaded FIR filter of claim 13 wherein said digital cascaded FIR filter may be programmable with scalability for transmitting UWB data rates.

19. The digital cascaded FIR filter of claim 18 wherein the outdoor handheld UWB transceiver may transmit the UWB data onto the selected channel to avoid the interference with WLAN 802.11a by using said digital cascaded FIR filter.